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ACTION EB-07

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FM AMEMBASSY TOKYO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9209

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DEPT PASS: USIA (VOA)

E.O. 11652:N/A

TAGS: ETEL, ITU, JA, US

SUBJECT: SECOND SESSION OF ITU REGIONAL BROADCASTING CONFERENCE

CONFERENCE

PROTECTION OF U.S. INTERESTS

REF: (A) STATE 74708 (B) TOKYO 4326 (C) STATE A-1360

1. NEW FREQUENCIES OUTLINED IN REF. (A) HAD BEEN PREVIOUSLY PASSED TO FREQUENCY DIVISION, MINISTRY OF POSTS AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS (MPT) BY FAR EAST NETWORK (FEN) AND TECHNICAL LIAISON CHANNEL. EMBASSY HAS VERIFIED THAT THESE NEW FREQUENCIES WILL BE USED IN GOJ SUBMISSION TO ITU.

2. SINCE TRANSMISSION OF REF. (B), MPT HAS ASKED EMBASSY FOR CLARIFICATION OF INFORMATION PROVIDED IN THE TWO REQUIREMENT FORMS ON VOA OKINAWA (APPENDIX F, STATE-1360, 3/3/75). SPECIFICALLY MPT WOULD LIKE TO KNOW WHAT FORMULA WAS USED BY VOA IN ARRIVING AT FIGURES FOR SKYWAVE RADIUS IN KILOMETERS (ITEM 11B). ACCORDING TO REQUIREMENT FORMS, BEAM 1 HAS RADIUS OF 640 KM AND BEAM 2 - 650 KM. MPT STATES THAT, USING OTHER INFORMATION PROVIDED ON FORMS (I.E. CARRIER POWER AND ANTENNA CHARACTERISTICS) AND SOMETHING CALLED "CAIRO CURVE" (WHICH MPT INDICATES IS INTERNATIONALLY ACCEPTED

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FORMULA), IT COMES UP WITH RADIUS OF OVER 1000 KM FOR BOTH BEAM 1

AND BEAM 2.

3. MPT WOULD ALSO LIKE TO KNOW MEANING OF FOOTNOTE TO ITEM 11--  
"TO THE 74.7 DBU CONTOUR"--ON REQUIREMENT FORMS FOR VOA OKINAWA.

4. REQUEST DEPARTMENT OBTAIN ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS IN ITEMS 2 AND  
3 ABOVE FROM VOA AND NOTIFY EMBASSY SOONEST.  
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